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# IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Serial No.: Yang et al. 10/084,907

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For:

PROCESS FOR MAKING PERFUME CONTAINING SURFACTANT

COMPOSITIONS HAVING PERFUME BURST AND ENHANCED

PERFUME DEPOSITIONS WHEN DILUTED

Group: 1743

Examiner:

Edgewater, NJ 07020

April 12, 2002

#### PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

**Assistant Commissioner for Patents** Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Prior to any action on the merits, please amend the application as follows:

### REMARKS

The language has been added to text and was taken from Figure 13 as originally filed. The language was deleted from the figure in response to a "Notice to File Corrected Application papers".

It is respectfully requested the amendment be entered.

Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the specification and claims by the current amendment. The attached page is captioned <u>"Version with markings to show changes made"</u>.

If a telephone conversation would be of assistance in advancing prosecution of the subject application, applicants' undersigned attorney invites the Examiner to telephone him at the number provided.

Respectfully submitted,

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# **VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE**

### In the Specification:

Paragraph beginning at line 10 of page 9 has been amended as follows:

Figure 13 shows deposition results for multi component perfume from surfactant systems having different CMCs. In Figure 13, menthone, t-h-linalool, a-ionone and g-m-ionone refer to the samples with around 0.125% of menthone, tetra-hydro-linalool,  $\alpha$ -ionone and  $\gamma$ -methyl-ionone in 5% sodium laurate or SLES surfactant systems, respectively. Also menthone-10, t-h-linalool-10,  $\alpha$ -ionone-10 and g-m-ionone-10 refer to the 10 times diluted samples with around 0.125% of menthone, tetra-hydro-linalool,  $\alpha$ -ionone and  $\gamma$ -methyl-ionone in 5% sodium laurate or SLES surfactant systems, respectively.